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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Philippe ARQUINT et al. Conf.: 1966
App. No.: 10/523,933 Group: Unknown
Filed: February 7, 2005 Examiner: Unknown
For: **RADICALLY CROSSLINKABLE HYDROGEL
COMPRISING LINKER GROUPS**

RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

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October 23, 2006

Dear Sir:

In reply to the Decision on Applicants' Petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b) filed on May 11, 2006 (the decision being issued on September 5, 2006), Applicants hereby file the present Renewed Petition and request reconsideration of the Petition to Revive filed May 11, 2006.

Statement of Facts

In the Petition Decision issued September 5, 2006, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office indicates that items 2 and 3 of the petition's criteria were satisfied, but further indicates that item 1 was not satisfied. Specifically, the United States Patent and Trademark Office indicates that the proper reply in response to the Notification of Missing Requirement needed to include a properly executed declaration, and further needed to provide a certified copy of the court order for the name change of Hannelore Gotz to Hannelore Nuss. Applicants respectfully submit the newly executed declaration and a petition

under 37 CFR 1.182 along with a copy of the certified court order for the name change (and an English translation thereof). Thus, Applicants respectfully request that this Renewed Petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) be granted.

Applicants further enclose a copy of the previously filed petition and documents submitted therewith. Also enclosed is a petition under 37 CFR 1.182 to change the name of inventor GÖTZ to NUSS. An early indication of the granting of the petition is respectfully requested.


If there are any further questions, the United States Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number below.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0750 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Very truly yours,

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Attachments: Petition Under 37 CFR 1.182
 Executed Declaration
 Certified copy of marriage certificate
 Translation of marriage certificate
 Copy of the previously filed petition and documents
 submitted therewith



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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 TO ACCEPT NAME CHANGE

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Dear Sir:

Applicants petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.182 that the United States Patent and Trademark Office accept the change in name of the inventor Hannelore GÖTZ to Hannelore NUSS.

Applicants filed a PCT patent application under the name Hannelore GÖTZ. Although this is the same person, the name differs from the name on the executed declaration, Hannelore NUSS. Enclosed is a certified copy of a marriage certificate (and English translation thereof) indicating the name change of the inventor from GÖTZ to NUSS.

Petition Fee

The petition fee of \$130 set forth in 35 U.S.C. § 1.17(h)(1) is enclosed.

Conclusion

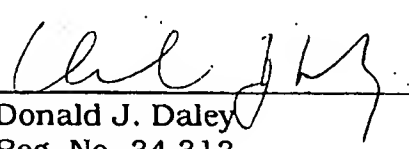
In the event there are any outstanding matters remaining in this application, the Examiner is invited to contact Donald J. Daley, (Reg. No. 34,313) at (703) 668-8000.

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Respectfully submitted,

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